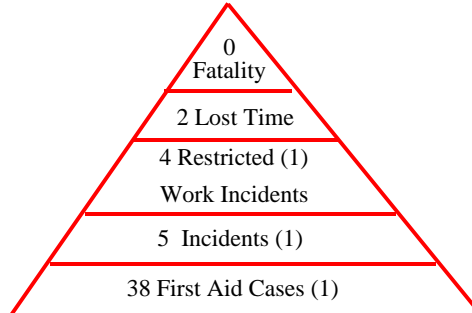


# LaRC SAFETY HIGHLIGHTS

June 24, 2002

FY 2002 - Civil Servants



( ) = Number of new occurrences

OSHA Recordable Cases = Fatalities, Lost Time, Incidents and Restricted Work Incidents.  
Incidents = Cases in which more than first aid treatment is required, but less than 8 hours of time is lost.  
Restricted Work Incidents = Cases requiring first aid treatment, resulting in light duty restrictions.

## Injury/Mishap Information

- The Center has been **147** days **without** a Civil Servant **Lost Time Injury**.
- Restricted Work Incident - An AAAC employee, sustained a back strain while assisting in the movement of a 60-gallon tank from a truck into a facility. This incident has currently resulted in 13 restricted work days. The employee was counseled to use the on-site riggers in the future to prevent recurrence.
- OSHA Recordable Incident - An AirSC employee, tripped on un-level pavement when entering a building through a sliding door opening, sustaining fractures to two fingers on the left hand. A work request has been initiated to level out the concrete and eliminate the trip hazard. The facility will utilize appropriate warning tape when the door is open until the trip hazard is eliminated.
- The following first aid case involving a civil servant was reported:
  - An OP employee fell while ascending a stairway, sustaining multiple contusions and abrasions.



**Safety Tip** -When working with electrical equipment, make sure it is grounded correctly and remember to check for worn insulation and frayed cords frequently.



**Weekly Video Schedule** - June 24-28, 2002 - Heat Stress; Vacation Safety; Fire in the Workplace; Summer Safety; and Incident Reporting. (Contact (Chip Quinn, 48743)